SUBJECT No. 361.

Restoration of the Silvantankoppa tank.

Mr. Hariappa, Shikarpur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—This tank which has an achkat of Rs. 400, has been newly repaired. But it has not been provided with a new sluice and a good channel. The water in the tank does not therefore irrigate its full achkat; it is prayed that the tank may be provided with a new sluice and a good channel.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner.

SUBJECT No. 362.

Reduction of seigniorage on fuel in State forests in the Shikarpur taluk.

Messrs. Srinivasa Dikshit and Bhavani Rao, Shikarpur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—This subject was mooted last year in the Assembly and it was stated that the matter would be settled by the Conservator of Forests at an early date. As no decision has yet been announced, early orders are solicited.

Reply of Government.—As agreed to by the Conservator the rates of seigniorage in the Karadibetta and Bellandur Forests will be reduced to 2 annas.

SUBJECT No. 363.

(1) An Anicut across the Hasvihalla in the Sorab Taluk.
(2) A bridge across the Hasvihalla.

(1) Messrs. Yagaiyana Krishnappa and Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Sagar Taluk.
(2) Mr. Rama Rao, Sorab Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—(1) An anicut across the Hasvihalla near the Udri village will be a useful and productive work as it can irrigate the lands of about twenty villages in the Sorab Taluk. Steps may therefore be taken for undertaking this project.

(2) As the road from Sorab to Anvatti will be completed early, it is prayed that a bridge may be constructed across the Hasvihalla.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the Deputy Commissioner for being looked into.

SUBJECT No. 364.

Restoration of the temple of Sri Renukamba at Chandragutti.

Messrs. Yagaiyana Krishnappa and Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Sagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The temple of Sri Renukamba is in disrepair. Further there is no accommodation for the pilgrims who go there during the Dasara and the water-supply is extremely meagre at the time of the car festival. As this is a very ancient temple and as a big jatra also is held in the locality, it is prayed that the temple may be properly restored and steps taken to afford the necessary conveniences to the pligrims visiting the shrine.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner.

SUBJECT No. 365.

An anicut and a flight of steps to the Varada river.

Messrs. Yagaiyana Krishnappa and Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Sagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—This river which takes its rise within three miles from Sagar dries up in the summer and consequently much difficulty for water is felt in that season. It is therefore prayed that an anicut may be constructed on the western side of the river with flights of steps on the north and south banks.

Reply of Government.—Not necessary.

SUBJECT No. 366.

A female dispensary at Sagar.

Messrs. Yagaiyana Krishnappa and Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Sagar Taluk, and Shamanna Udapa, Shimoga District Board.

Summary of discussion.—Sagar being a central place in the malnad, it is necessary to have a female dispensary with lying-in-wards at that place.

Reply of Government.—Noted.